

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Serial No. 09/827,177 Application of Alejandro H. Abdelnur Filed: April 6, 2001 Art Unit: 3624 Examiner: KESACK, Daniel Attorney Docket No. P5433 (formerly 80168.0121) For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR OPERATING A CONFIGURABLE TRADE EXCHANGE	Confirmation No.: 4373 Customer No.: <b>32658</b>
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AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 10, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.